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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 46320
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Robert HARRIS	:	Confirmation Number: 6488
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Application No.: 10/531,246	:	Group Art Unit: 3689
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Filed: April 14, 2005	:	Examiner: G. Araque Jr.
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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR RANKING SERVICES IN A WEB SERVICES ARCHITECTURE		

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner For Patents  
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Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted herewith.